
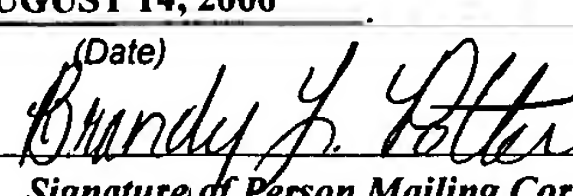


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)					Docket No. EFUN102	
In Re Application Of: HAMMONS, ET AL.						
Application No. 10/025,957	Filing Date 12/18/2001	Examiner THEIN, MARIA TERESA T.	Customer No. 21,658	Group Art Unit 3627	Confirmation No. 2141	
Invention: METHOD FOR CREATING AND OPERATING A PERSONALIZED VIRTUAL INTERNET STORE INCLUDING "DISCONNECTED" PURCHASING EQUIPMENT						
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>						
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>MARCH 17, 2006</u> in the above-identified application. <div style="text-align: center;"><small>Date</small></div>						
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-start;"><div><input type="checkbox"/> One month</div><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Three months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Four months</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Five months</div></div> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 10px;"><div>from: <u>6/17/2006</u> <div style="text-align: center;"><small>Date</small></div></div><div>until: <u>8/17/2006</u> <div style="text-align: center;"><small>Date</small></div></div></div>						
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27						
The fee for the extension of time is \$225 and is to be paid as follows:						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.						
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.						
<input type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.						
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.						
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.						
<div style="text-align: center;"> <small>Signature</small></div> DEREK H. MAUGHAN DYKAS, SHAVER & NIPPER, LLP PO BOX 877 BOISE, ID 83701-0877 (208) 345-1122			Dated: AUGUST 14, 2006			
08/17/2006 FNETEKI1 00000003 10025957 01 FC:2252 225.00 0P cc: CLIENT			<div>I certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on AUGUST 14, 2006</div> <div style="text-align: center;"><small>(Date)</small>  <small>Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence</small> BRANDY L. POTTER <small>Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence</small></div>			